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SUBJ: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SEMINAR

REF: (A) PRAGUE 795; (B) PRAGUE 401

1. LIST OF U. S. PARTICIPANTS IN SUBJECT CONFERENCE NOW FAIRLY WELL ESTABLISHED. FOLLOWING ARE SOLIDLY COMMITTED TO ATTENDANCE (TOPIC OF PRESENTATION AND AGENDA REFERENCE IN PARENTHESES).

A. MR. BRANDT, U. S. FOREST SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE, ROME (EFFECTS OF AIR POLLUTION ON FOREST ECONOMY - REF. B, PARAGRAPH 3 A).

B. CECIL WADLEIGH, USDA CONSULTANT ON AGRICULTURAL WASTES (LECTURE ON " WASTES IN RELATION TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY", ILLUSTRATED WITH SLIDES - PARAGRAPH 3 G).

C. DAVID PIMENTEL, CORNELL UNIVERSITY (ECOLOGICALIMPACT OF PESTICIDES ON PLANTS AND ANIMALS - PARAGRAPH 3 G).

D. NORTON NELSON, NYU MEDICAL CENTER (EFFECTS OF TOXIC
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OLLUTANTS ON HUMANS - PARAGRAPH 3 B).

E. MEMBER OF STATE' S OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS
(IN CONJUNCTION WITH ATTENDANCE AT UNEP MEETING).

F. ONE GENERALIST FROM COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

2. IN ADDITION FOLLOWING PEOPLE CONSIDERED LIKELY
PARTICIPANTS, AWAITING FINAL CONFIRMATION:

A. ROBERT CATLIN, DIRECTOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS,
U. S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION (ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF
ATOMIC RADIATION).

B. JOHN CRAIG, CONSULTANT TO EPA, EXPERT IN ENVIRONMENTAL
RESEARCH PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT.

C. G. W. HOYDYSH, NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (ATMOSPHERIC
WASTE DIFFUSION MODELLING - PARAGRAPH 3 D).

3. NOTE THAT NOT ALL TOPICS ABOVE EXACTLY CONGRUENT WITH
SUGGESTED AREAS OF INTEREST IN REF. B, PARAGRAPH 3. WE
ASSUME CZECHS FLEXIBLE ENOUGH TO PERMIT DEVIATIONS TO
ACCOMMODATE INTERESTS AND EXPERTISE AMERICAN PARTICIPANTS.
EXACT TITLES NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL NEXT WEEK.

4. WADLEIGH IS AUTHOR OF IMPORTANT USDA PUBLICATION ON
AGRICULTURAL POLLUTION. HE WOULD LIKE TO DISTRIBUTE
COPIES OF BOOK AT SEMINAR, ASSUMING NO OBJECTION BY
HOSTS.

5. NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION ARRANGING FOR PARTICIPA-
TION OF PIMENTEL, NORTON AND HOYDYSH AND ASKS THAT
SUPPORT PROVIDED THEM (AND OTHER PARTICIPANTS) BE
COMPARABLE TO THAT PROVIDED FOR AMERICANS UNDER THE
EXCHANGE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE U. S. NATIONAL ACADEMY
OF SCIENCES AND THE CZECH ACADEMY OF SCIENCE.

6. ABOVE INFORMATION SHOULD BE ADEQUATE TO PERMIT
CZECHS PROCEED WITH PLANNING SYMPOSIUM. EMBASSY SHOULD
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